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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Ming Jeong Kim

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Losses

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in response to the detailed Office Action mailed October 18, 2004, and respectfully request the amendments and remarks be entered in the file of the above identified application.